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For: PROGRAM INFORMATION BROADCASTING SYSTEM, BROADCASTING DEVICE,
AND RECEIVING TERMINAL UNIT

SUPPLEMENTAL REISSUE DECLARATION

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Sir:

We, the undersigned inventors of the subject matter of the above identified patent, hereby declare that: our residences, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our respective names,

Each of us, the named inventors, believes he is the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter that has been claimed and is being claimed in this application, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention as entitled above and as disclosed in the specification, drawing and claims that are of record herein including any amendments made therein.

Each of us hereby states that he has reviewed and understands the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) filed during the prosecution of the application that matured into the above identified patent, amendment(s) filed herewith and amendment(s) filed hereafter. Each of us acknowledges their respective duty to disclose all information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance

with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56. We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which the priority is claimed.

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

NUMBER	COUNTRY	DAY/MONTH/YEAR FILED	PRIORITY CLAIMED
8-279755	JP	October 23, 1996	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

This application to reissue the above identified patent has been filed in order to correct an error that arose without deceptive intent in that, shortly before two (2) years after the issuance of the above referenced patent, a review of the patent showed that the patent was partially or wholly inoperative and/or invalid because it claimed less than it had the right to claim. This error arose without deceptive intent. Specifically, there was an error in claim 25 of the original patent in that there was a requirement in the claim that the basic program information list was required to be extracted from the master data. It is believed that this requirement was too limiting on the scope of the claims of the instant patent. In addition, several errors in the claims, whereby the claims and the specification were inconsistent, were discovered. These errors have now been corrected.

We each hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent reissued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: We hereby revoke all prior powers of attorney and appoint as our attorney, with full powers of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: Michael G. Gilman, Registration Number 19,114 whose address is:

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